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1. AS DEPARTMENT IS AWARE, PRIME MINISTER (AND FOREIGN MINISTER) SIRIMAVO BANDARANAIKE HAS ASKED FOR INSCRIPTION AS A SPEAKER ON SEPTEMBER 30, IN ORDER TO PRESENT AN ACCOUNT OF THE FIFTH NON-ALIGNED SUMMIT CONFERENCE, SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST IN COLOMBO.

2. NEITHER EXACT TRAVEL DATES NOR ACCOMPANYING MEMBERS OF HER PARTY ARE AS YET KNOWN. WE ARE TOLD THAT PRIME MINISTER WILL SPEND AS LITTLE TIME AWAY FROM COLOMBO AS POSSIBLE. SRI LANKAN UN REP SHIRLEY AMERASINGHE WILL HAVE BEEN ELECTED AS PRESIDENT OF UNGA BY THAT DATE, AND SL AMBASSADOR TO WASHINGTON NEVILLE KANAKARATNE WILL HEAD THE DELEGATION OTHER THAN DURING PRIME MINISTER'S ATTENDANCE.

3. SINCE THERE IS AN OUTSTANDING INVITATION FOR AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO WASHINGTON WHICH THE PRIME MINISTER FEELS UNABLE TO SCHEDULE ON THIS TRIP, NO VISIT TO WASHINGTON OR MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT IS CONTEMPLATED.

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OBTAINING, WE WOULD STRONGLY RECOMMEND

BILATERAL MEETING WITH THE SECRETARY DURING HER NEW
YORK VISIT, IN LIEU OF WASHINGTON VISIT, AND TO PERMIT
SECRETARY TO DISCUSS NAC PRONOUNCEMENTS WITH HER.
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